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Friday, November 28th, 1873.



The first duty before Congress on its assembling will be the election of a Speaker. There seems but little doubt that Mr. Blaine, who has filled that position for four years, will again be elected. Mr. Maynard, of Tennessee, however, is understood to be seeking it, but with what success next week must disclose. Mr. Blaine has some personal and bitter enemies in his party, and some affect—for it cannot be but an affection—to believe he was tainted with the Credit Mobilier scandal. The office is, perhaps, the second in importance in the United States. The power the Speaker has of directing legislation, by his parliamentary authority, is greater than any other officer in the government.

Our Railroad System, Consolidation, &c.

We have refrained from making any comments upon that part of Governor Caldwell's message recommending and urging upon the present Legislature to enact a law giving authority to the stockholders of the several corporations owning the lines of railway, from Morehead City to the mountains and beyond the mountains, to the Western limits of the State, to consolidate and make one great monopolizing line through the State, from West to East.

We are sorry to differ as widely as we must with our worthy Governor upon this subject. No party ties can bind us to any scheme like this, that seems so subversive of the interests of the stockholders of the North Carolina railroad—and the State is the largest—owning three-fourths of the stock. Nor can we shut our eyes to the great injury such a grand consolidated line, all powerful in crushing out the life of other railroads, and portions of the State removed from this great—"Tom Scott combination scheme"—line.

Our objections may be stated briefly as follows:

First. The estimated cost of the work to be done is entirely too small to complete the work—even if we could possibly realize \$7,000,000 by a mortgage of all the railways in the State wherein the State is a stockholder.

Second. After the consolidation and mortgage is effected and all the money raised that can be raised, the work will not be one-half completed, but the entire stock of the roads in which the State holds so large an interest, and all it has left to show for the State debt, will be utterly and irrecoverably lost.

Third. Let the Western North Carolina Road be sold under the foreclosures of the mortgage and some corporators or association of persons will buy it and finish it within a much less time than the State will ever do it by consolidation. We have seen how far the State roads are built. We, as Republicans, wash our hands of any such scheme, hazzarding as it does the State's entire public works and offering so little prospect of accomplishing any real good to the State at large.

Is it not about time the State ceased to engage in railroad building, directly or indirectly? Who would buy a bond that has had his eyes and ears open here for the last five years, and who now knows that the first dollar of interest has not been paid on what is generally conceded to be the legal debt of the State.

We feel like enlarging upon this subject, but suspend our remarks for the present, with a warning to every prudent man to beware of linking his name or his party with any such scheme.

The New-Berne Times says: Rev. B. W. Morris, of this city, late pastor of St. Stephen's Church, Wilmington, was elected Presiding Elder of the New-Berne District A. M. E. Church at the late conference held here this month, and will reside in this city. Rev. Scipio Sauls has been placed in charge of Rue's Chapel, in this city, in place of Rev. Cornelius Sampson, who has taken charge of St. Paul's Church, Raleigh. Rev. Joseph Nichols, from St. Stephen's Church, Wilmington, in place of Rev. B. W. Morris Presiding Elder.

The scaffolding around the new Methodist Church, in Monroe, gave way, precipitating four workmen to the floor beneath, a distance of sixteen feet. One of them, a Mr. McCall, had his leg broken, and the others were severely bruised.

Our Spanish Relations.

From the news yesterday, it seems that our Spanish relations are more complicated. A great allowance must, however, be made, as it seems that the New York *Herald* is alone responsible for the exciting news. It is highly probable that much of it is true, for it is but a little time since the Spanish Minister at Washington almost guaranteed that the demands of our government would be complied with; but it is likely that Castellar sees that it is impossible to do so in the face of public opinion.

There are two immediate obstacles in the way of a friendly settlement of the differences: The opposition in Cuba itself to such a proceeding may be too great for the Spanish authorities to enforce a decree of restoration. In that case the United States must enforce it. The other is one which appeals strongly to every American. Republicanism in Spain, and Castellar its noblest representative, are beset by combinations and intrigues, both secret and open, which will use Spanish hostility to the United States as an agency to re-establish a monarchy. The friends of hereditary government will eagerly seize the opportunity of a Republican President doing an act of justice, and distort it as a base and cowardly abandonment of their national rights. In the present chaotic condition of Spain, it is very doubtful whether Castellar could maintain his position for a week, should he determine upon a restoration.

A third obstacle is, what security can Spain gain against a repetition of some of the numerous causes of offense we have against her?

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

[Condensed from the Raleigh News.]

NINTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

SENATE.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 26.—Senate met at 12 o'clock, Lieutenant Governor in the chair.

Introduction of Bills.

By Mr. McCauley: A bill to amend title 2, chapter 17, Battle's Revision.—Referred to Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Scott: A bill to incorporate the Oriental Fish and Oyster Company. Referred to Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Troy: A bill to aid planters, manufacturers and others in the prosecution of their business, &c. Referred to Committee on Proprieties and Grievances.

By the same: A bill for the government of Justices' Court. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

By Mr. Ellis of Catawba: A bill in relation to contracts. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

Introduction of Resolutions.

By Mr. Flemming: A resolution in favor of J. H. Ennis. Referred to Committee on Claims.

By Mr. Love: A resolution in regard to adjournment. Provides for the adjournment of the General Assembly on the 24th day of December. Referred to Committee on Proprieties and Grievances.

Rules Suspended.

On motion of Mr. Humphrey, the rules were suspended to admit of his motion to call up the bill on the consolidation of the North Carolina Railroad, which was made the special order for Tuesday at 12:30 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Seymour, the bill supplemental to an act to lay off the new county of Pamlico, was taken up and passed its several readings. The bill allows the Commissioners of the two counties of Craven and Pamlico an extension of one year for the settlement of the county debt.

On motion of Mr. Harris, the bill to cede to the United States part of lot No. 99, in the city of Raleigh, was taken up and passed its several readings. The object of the bill is to cede enough of the Court House square, in the city of Raleigh, to the United States, for the purpose of building a Federal Court House and Post Office.

Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

According to adjournment, Mr. Speaker-Robinson called the House to order at 11:30 a.m.

Mr. King, presented a petition in regard to certain grievances of colored citizens of North Carolina, asking the passage of Sumner's Civil Rights bill. Calendar.

Mr. Bullard presented a petition asking a change of the Bladen County line, between that county and Cumberland county. Calendar.

Mr. Bean: A resolution in relation to the charitable institutions of the State and the Penitentiary. Calendar.

By Mr. Bunn: A resolution in favor of Civil Rights. Calendar.

By Mr. Moss: A resolution in relation to Battle's Revision. Calendar.

By Mr. Dudley: A bill to exempt persons from taxation who shall establish factories in the manufacture of the products of the State. Referred.

By Mr. Nichols: A bill to enable the Commissioners of Surry county to consolidate and pay the debt of the county. Referred.

By Mr. Foster: A bill to amend sections 13, 19 and 20, chapter 22, Battle's Revision. Referred.

On motion of Mr. Jones, the resolution adjourning over for Thanksgiving Day, was taken up and adopted.

On motion of Mr. Paschal, the resolution asking an official opinion from the Attorney General in regard to what effect the Constitutional Amendment in relation to the General Assembly will have upon the present session after the official promulgation of its adoption, was taken up and adopted. [The reso-

lution raises a Joint Select Committee to wait on that official.]

The resolution to allow widows to sell real estate was taken up.

Mr. Bowman moved to table. Adopted.

The resolution requesting our Representatives in Congress to use their utmost efforts to have the revenue laws modified was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Perry, of Wake, was laid on the table.

The resolution adjourning on the 23d was taken up and, on motion of Mr. Paschal, was laid on the table.

Adjourned.

EDITORIAL BUDGET.

—Congressman Beck, of Lexington, Ky., is urged by the Southern Democratic press for the speakership of the House of Representatives.

—A small boat, made from the Polar, which the whaler Ravencraig took on board when she rescued the Buddington party, will be sent from Glasgow, Scotland, to New York, by the steamship Georgia. It will be placed in the Smithsonian Institution at Washington.

—The First National Bank of Memphis, Tenn., which was forced to suspend last September from the effects of the panic, the yellow fever, and other causes, but which has since reopened for new business, has completed arrangements for resumption on its old basis, and is now waiting for proper authority from Washington. The deficiency is to be made good by an assessment on the stockholders.

—An infernal machine filled with powder and balls and lucifer matches was sent to Comptroller Green, of New York, by mail on Wednesday. The outside was covered over with glazed paper, and the edges around were covered with postage stamps. On tearing off the paper it was seen that the box opened like a drawer. This, together with the fact that the address on the box was made up of letters cut out of a newspaper or some document, created suspicion. A hole was cut cautiously in the top, and the contents were then discovered. In the back part of the drawer were arranged rows of matches, over which was a strip of sand paper, against which the matches would rub in drawing out the slide. This would have inevitably sent off the contents of the machine.

—The Raleigh *News* learns that Mr. Wm. S. Bynum, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, has abandoned the profession of law, and is studying preparatory to entering the ministry of the Episcopalian Church. Mr. Bynum is a young man of considerable talent, and was making his mark as a lawyer. He will no doubt distinguish himself in the new and exalted field he has chosen.—[The Mr. Bynum referred to is the son of Judge Bynum.]—ED. Post.

The Raleigh *Scindal* says: On Tuesday morning, as a party of young negroes were attempting to cross Crabtree creek, just below Sater's mill, in a wagon drawn by a pair of mules, they were swept down by the flood and three of them of them and the mules drowned—two boys and a girl. There were three girls in the party, two of whom caught hanging boughs as they floated down, and were rescued by persons from the opposite side of the stream. The driver was the uncle of all the parties drowned, and, with the rest, was raised in the neighborhood, and knew the rods well, and in this case the ford was some four feet higher than usual high water mark.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.
Friday, November 28th, 1873.

Post Office Regulations.

THE TOWN CRIER.

Mild.
Gold is 1094.
Rainy Thanksgiving.
Remember the poor.
Chapman sisters to-night.
Charming weather—for ducks yes-
terday.
Who feels like the day after thank-
sgiving?
General Allan Rutherford is in
the city.
Yesterday was generally observed as
a holiday.
But a few days left in which to
prepare for the Fair.
The Journal gave us its annual
thanksgiving lecture yesterday.

Will the managers of the Gift Con-
cert hurry up their announcement?

The Sentinel expects to get the
State printing. It ain't our fight.

The water works question must
wait awhile, but we want them very
much.

Captain Braine has gone, and we
will have no more artificial stone for
a while, any how.

A party of gentlemen called on
the Senior yesterday, and knowing his
temperance proclivities, ordered in the
hot whiskies from Webb's.

MAGISTRATES' COURT:
Before W. H. Moore, J. P.

Kate Brown assault, dismissed on
payment of cost.

Christopher Huggins, A. and B., con-
tinued until Monday.

CHAPMAN SISTERS.—These charm-
ing actresses have arrived and will ap-
pear at the Opera House to-night.
Every indication points to a good house,
as they are great favorites here, and we
shall be greatly disappointed if the
house is not jammed.

FOR THE FARMS.—Captain M. L.
Poland of the Engineer Department at
Philadelphia was in the city this morning
on route for the Forts at the mouth
of the river. We learn that Captain
Poland has been commissioned by the
War Department to examine our fortifi-
cation. Mr. Collector Rumley accom-
panied Captain Poland down the river
to the forts, and it is to be hoped that
prompt and vigorous measures will be
taken to put them in a proper condition
for defence and protection.

SHOT.—A colored man answering to
the name of Jno. W. Williams, was ac-
cidentally shot in the arm yesterday by
some one while hunting near the city.
Williams heard shooting ahead of him
but felt no uneasiness, as he supposed
it was in the opposite direction to where
he was standing, but immediately fol-
lowing a report, some half dozen shot
took effect in his arm. He came into
the city, summoned aid and succeeded
in probing out the shot. His wounds
are painful but not serious.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Editor Evening Post:

SIR.—The removal of Captain E. M.
Rosafy from the Inspectorship of Cus-
toms, at the post of Smithville, has cre-
ated among his friends considerable
dissatisfaction. From the statements
first made of the case, it was believed
that some irregularities of quite a serious
nature had been committed by the
Inspector; and the friends of Captain
Rosafy, being ignorant of the true status
of the case, with great reluctance acqui-
ed in the decision of the Secretary re-
moving him. Since then, however,
Captain Rosafy, who was not permitted
during the so-called investigation to
visit Wilmington, to consult with his
friends, has personally communicated
all the facts connected with the affair,
and his friends fail to see any criminal-
ity in his conduct or cause for removal.
The Secretary will be urged to recon-
sider the order removing him, when the
facts in the case will be made known,
and other matters of fully equal interest
brought to the surface.

JUSTICE.

The Raleigh News tells of a man
claiming to have been a passenger on
the ill-fated Atlantic being engaged in
asking for money in that city to aid
him in reaching Wilmington, and cau-
sing the public against him as an im-
postor.

ANOTHER ROBBERY.—The store of
H. J. Higgins, on Market, between
Second and Third streets, was burglar-
iously entered on Wednesday night,
and despoiled of cigars, sardines, tobacco
and brandy peaches, to the amount
of about sixty dollars. The marauders
entered open the back window suffi-
ciently wide to slip a small boy in, who, it is
supposed, opened the back door for his
receptors, as it was found open yester-
day morning. This is the second time
in the past two weeks that Mr. Hug-
gins' store has been visited, though,
however, the thieves did not succeed in

Religious exercises, appropriate to
the occasion, were had for the benefit
of the pupils in the Chapel of the Deaf
Dumb and the Blind Asylum at Raleigh
on thanksgiving day.

STATE ITEMS.

Monroe, Union county, had snow last
week.

On Roan Mountain, last week, the
snow was eighteen inches deep.

The Odd Fellows Lodges of Raleigh
are having social gatherings.

There was a general observance,
throughout the State yesterday, of
thanksgiving day.

The follow dispatch has just arrived
in cipher from the Herald correspond-
ent in Madrid:

MADRID, Nov. 26—Noon.—The
situation is grave. On the 19th, General
Sickles, by order of President Grant,
delivered a formal ultimatum to Pres-
ident Castellar demanding prompt
and vigorous reparation for the insult
to the American flag, the restoration
of the Virginian, the release of the
surviving prisoners, indemnity to the
families of the murdered and the pun-
ishment of the murderers; and also, a
guarantee against future outrages in
Cuba. The demand was couched in a
kind and sympathetic tone, but no alter-
native was given. Gen. Sickles was
also instructed to say that if Castellar
did not comply with the demands in
one week he should ask for his pass-
port and leave Madrid with the Legation.
The time expires to-day and no
answer has been received. Everything
at the Legation is packed up for imme-
diate departure.

Minister Sickles has no hopes that
the ultimatum will be complied with
and he telegraphed to Paris yesterday
to have all his official correspondence
that might be there kept for a few
days.

Minister Sickles in conversation says
that he does not see how war with
Cuba can be avoided, as Castellar can
give no assurance that the order will
be obeyed in Cuba.

Public feeling is also opposed to any
concessions.

Unless Castellar responds this even-
ing Sickles leaves immediately.

All the American ships in the Medi-
terranean have been ordered to Key West
in the event of General Sickles leaving
Madrid.

The British Minister will probably
protect the archives and the American
residents.

President Castellar is personally
anxious to accept the British Minister's
good offices to affect a compromise but
there is no hope to night.

The session was opened at 10 A. M.
The Bishop read the 39th chapter of
Job, very impressively. Singing and
prayer by Elder W. J. Moore. After
which the Bishop delivered his Epis-
copal address, which was listened to with
marked attention. He reviewed the
labor of the past year, and the hand of
God in preserving the lives of the breth-
ren, and sustaining them under peculiar
trials and conflicts in life, and that only
two of Zion's trumpeters had been called
away from their labors of earth to
their reward in glory, viz.: Shadrack
Moore and E. D. Sadler. He further
stated that Zion's flag was being raised
all over this State, in every valley and
hill-top, and it is destined to wave all
over the continent, if her ministry be
pure and good.

At the close of the address, the fol-
lowing brethren were elected Secretaries:
J. Tyler, Recorder, and Adam M.
Barrett as Assistant.

The Bishop announced his standing
committees.

The roll was called, and over one hundred
members answered to their names.

After the fixing of the bounds of the
Confession, the Bishop proceeded with
the passage of the characters of the
members, which were continued until
the hour of adjournment, before which
the following appointments were made
by the Devotional Committee:

Wednesday Night, 7 o'clock, Christian
Chapel—H. C. Phillips, assisted by
Lewis King, at St. Stephen's, at 7 o'clock,
J. F. Alexander and R. H. Simons.

On Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, at
11 a. m., at Christian Chapel—G. B.
Farmer and George Logan. At New
Hanover, at 11 a. m., Robt. D. Russell
and at 7 o'clock, Peter McNatt and
Job Brown.

The conference observed a portion of
thanksgiving day, from its business as
a day of thankfulness to the Giver of
all good; for His blessings toward us as
a church and people, for health and
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WASHINGON.

WASHINGTON, November 28.

Jno. M. Morris, Executive Clerk of the
Senate, and formerly editor of the

Senate, and the House, was com-
missioned by the Senate to en-
dorse the bill.

On Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, at
11 a. m., at Christian Chapel—G. B.
Farmer and George Logan. At New
Hanover, at 11 a. m., Robt. D. Russell
and at 7 o'clock, Peter McNatt and
Job Brown.

The conference observed a portion of
thanksgiving day, from its business as
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PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 28.

Edwin D. Lewis, President of the

Farmer's and Mechanic's Bank, is the

receiver in Jay Cooke & Co.'s bankrupt-

cy, until the creditors appoint an as-
signee.

GEORGIA.

ATLANTA, November 28.

Malone, who was condemned to be
hung to-day, was morphined in prison last
night and is insensible this morning.

MISSOURI.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 28.

Richard Yates died suddenly at Bar-
num's.

CABLE DISPATCHES.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, November 28.

The bark Delfino, from Hull for

Charleston, is anchored off Deal. She

has lost her rigging.

Arrived—Brig Annie, from Charles-

ton; bark Smile from Bull river South

Carolina.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

Thursday's Noon Dispatches.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27—Noon.—The
New York Herald will publish the fol-
lowing special cable dispatch to-mor-
row:

The follow dispatch has just arrived
in cipher from the Herald correspond-
ent in Madrid:

MADRID, Nov. 26—Noon.—The
situation is grave. On the 19th, General
Sickles, by order of President Grant,
delivered a formal ultimatum to Pres-
ident Castellar demanding prompt
and vigorous reparation for the insult
to the American flag, the restoration
of the Virginian, the release of the
surviving prisoners

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Oct 21. **\$50,000 PREFERRED STOCK.**

Subscriptions to the Stock of the

Cape Fear Water Works Company,

may be made at the office at the office of the Company, in the New Hanover Bank Building, on the corner of Church and Market. The stock thus offered to the public is a limited issue, limited in amount to \$50,000, and the terms of issue is guaranteed to pay

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Further information may be obtained by application as above or from the officers and directors of the Company.

To facilitate subscriptions a committee will call upon business men of the city at an early day.

WILKES MORRIS, Secy.

Nov 3. **Coal-Coal.**

JUST ARRIVED—300 TONS RED ASH STOVE AND GRATE per steamer "Tennessee." Parties in need please hand in cash orders immediately.

Wood, Linen and Shingles also for sale, at my Yard, corner Front and Mulberry sts. Nov 13—14. J. A. SPRINGER,

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Everybody in want of good Boots and Shoes is advised to call on us at our New Boot and Shoe Store on Princess street, Oct 29. **EVANS VONGLAHN.**

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

IN PURSUANCE of an order of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, the subscriber as Commissioner, will sell at the Court House door, in the city of Wilmington, on Monday evening, the 21st instant, at 6 o'clock A. M., to the highest bidder, at public auction, all that tract of land and premises on Wrightsville Sound, in New Hanover county, containing 1110 acres, 1000± more or less, and situated between the residence of Talcott Burr and the late Wm. Lippitt—the same being the summer residence of the late Edward P. Hall.

TERMS OF SALE—One quarter cash, balanced and 12 months, secured by bond and postmaster, and title retained till purchase money is paid.

DR. BRUCE CUTLAR, Commissioner, Nov 7, 1873—7, 11, 21, and 25 nov and 6 dec

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1873.

Only thirty thousand tickets will be sold.

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One grand cash gift.....25,000

One grand cash gift.....17,500

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20 cash gifts \$5,000 each.....150,000

50 cash gifts 1,000 each.....50,000

80 cash gifts 500 each.....40,000

100 cash gifts 400 each.....40,000

130 cash gifts 300 each.....45,000

20 cash gifts 250 each.....50,000

25 cash gifts 100 each.....32,500

total 12,000 gifts, all cash, amounting to.....\$1,500,000

The distribution will be positive, whether the tickets are sold or not, and the 12,000 gifts will be paid in proportion to the tickets sold.

PRICES OF TICKETS:

Whole price \$20; Halves \$5; Tenths, or each Coupon \$5; Eleven Whole Tickets for \$500; 227 Whole Tickets for \$0.00. No discount on less than \$500 worth of Tickets at a time.

Tickets now ready to sale, and all orders accompanied by the money promptly filled by the regular term given to those who buy to sell again.

THOS. E. BRAMLETTE, Agent Publ. Libr. Ky., and Manager Gift Concert, Publ. Libr. Louisville, Ky.

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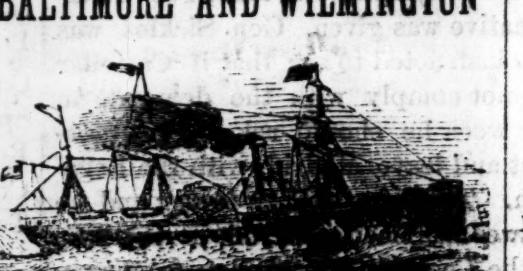
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